

# Laser Ranging Ground System

- **Progress**

- Supported MRT5d. In background we flowed data internally. Still have one last test of our own to perform – NGSLR LRO pass using FDF predictions.
- We think we now have a method to visually test our use of the FDF predictions using the 2 arcmin FOV star camera, the FDF produced ground tracks, and a lunar map. FDF will be supplying predictions and corresponding ground-tracks for our use.
- I/O chassis and upgraded optics ready to go, but not yet in system – soon.
- Randy Ricklefs (U.Texas) will be here next week (March 3<sup>rd</sup>) for week of LRO testing and data flow at NGSLR. Entire NGSLR SW team will participate.
- Operator hasn't yet started OJT because we haven't tracked satellites at night in the last week or so – too much work to do during the day!
- Code 250 will be performing inspection of NGSLR radar and laser safety in next week or two.
- Code 250 is in discussions with FAA on authorization for NGSLR to lase with the LRO laser.

- **Issues & Risks**

- None.